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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

T. Fujinawa, et al.

Application No.: 10/069,053

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WIRING-CONNECTED MATERIAL AND WIRING-CONN

BOARD PRODUCTION PROCESS USING THE SAME

Art Unit:

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Examiner:

R. Gorr

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 7, 2004

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed July 7, 2003. A Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 1303.41199X00, previously 566.41199X00).

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